

**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
MEDICAID PURCHASING ADMINISTRATION
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To: Durable Medical Equipment (DME)
Providers
Pharmacists
Managed Care Organizations

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Subject: Wheelchairs, Durable Medical Equipment (DME), and Supplies, Medical Supplies and Equipment (MSE), and Other DME: Fee Schedule Updates

Effective for dates of service on and after July 1, 2010, the Department of Social and Health Services (the Department) will update the following fee schedules with new maximum allowable fees:

- Wheelchairs, Durable Medical Equipment (DME), and Supplies;
- Medical Supplies and Equipment (MSE); and
- Other DME.

Overview

All previously published policies remain the same unless specifically identified as changed in this memo.

New Maximum Allowable Fees

Effective for dates of service on and after July 1, 2010, the Department will update the *Wheelchairs, Durable Medical Equipment (DME), and Supplies, Medical Supplies and Equipment (MSE)*, and *Other DME* fee schedules with the new maximum allowable fees to reflect these updates.

Bill the Department your usual and customary charges.

Viewing Changes to the Fee Schedule

To view the July 1, 2010, fee schedule changes, go to the Department/MPA website online at: <http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov/RBRVS/Index.html#W>.

How Can I Get the Department/MPA Provider Documents?

To download and print the Department/MPA provider numbered memos and billing instructions, go to the Department/MPA website at <http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov> (click the *Billing Instructions and Numbered Memorandum* link).